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THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,000,000.
RESERVED CAPITAL, £500,000.

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HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up CAPITAL, £10,000,000.
RESERVE FUND, £3,300,000.
RESERVE LIABILITY OF £10,000,000.

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HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.
On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent per annum on the daily balance up to \$200,000.
On Fixed Deposits—
For 6 months 3 per cent per annum.
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On sums in excess of \$200,000, F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 3 per cent per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 per cent per annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,
F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager.
Hongkong, September 28, 1892. 1435

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

A MATCH MAGAZINE RIFLE. A. MARTIN HENRY, will be fired on SATURDAY, between the Officers and SERGEANTS of the SHROPSHIRE LIGHT INFANTRY REGIMENT (Magazine Rifle) and the HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION (Martini-Henry Rifle). Teams—Eight Men a side. Ranges 200, 300, 400 yards. Time, 2 p.m.

The following Members are requested to practice on behalf of the Rifle Association and to send in their Scores to the Hon. Secretary—Messrs. W. DUNCAN, PEAR, F. HAYWARD, MANN, D. MCKENNA, KENNEDY, SWANSON, KINGSFORD, WATSON, and WATSON.

ED ROBINSON, Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, December 19, 1892. 2239

CHINA REVIEW.

BACK NUMBERS OF VOLS. IV. TO XVI.

FOR SALE AT HALF-PRICE.

INSTRUCTIONS.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS.

THE Undermentioned INSURANCE OFFICES will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on SATURDAY and MONDAY, the 24th and 25th Instant.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, Canton Insurance Office, Ltd.; General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.

N. J. EDE, Secretary, Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd.

W. H. PERCIVAL, Agent, North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.

W. H. RAY, Secretary, China Trade Insurance Co., Ltd.

SHEWAN & Co., Agents, Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd.

JAMES B. COUGHTRY, Secretary, China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.

Wm. MAOBEAN, Agent, The Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.

The Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. Hongkong, December 21, 1892. 2247

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS.

IN accordance with Ordinance No. 5 of 1875, the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on SATURDAY and MONDAY, the 24th Instant and 2nd of January.

For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China,' JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,' T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,' F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager.

For the 'Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris,' L. GLENAT, Acting Agent, Hongkong.

For the 'Bank of China, Japan, and the Straits, Ltd.,' Hongkong, S. L. DARRBY, p. Manager.

For 'The National Bank of China, Limited,' GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, December 21, 1892. 2245

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

No. 49.

NOTICE is hereby given that MONDAY, the 24th Instant, and MONDAY, the 2nd of January, 1893, will be observed as HOLIDAYS, at the KOWLOON CUSTOMS OFFICE.

Work at the Opium Examination Hall and Customs Stations will proceed as usual.

J. McLEAVY BROWN, Commissioner of Customs for Kowloon and District.

CUSTOM HOUSE, Kowloon, 10th December, 1892. 2232

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

IN accordance with Section 120 of the Articles of Association, the General Agents, with approval of the Boarding Committee, will, on the 2nd of January, 1893, issue INTEREST WARRANTS of \$5 per Share, PAYABLE at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, the same being at the Rate of 10 Per Cent. Per annum on the Paid up Capital of the Office for the Year 1892.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Hongkong, December 15, 1892. 2236

KÉBAO SOCIÉTÉ ANONYME FRANÇAISE.

CAPITAL, 4,000,000 FRANCS.

La Société Kébaô (Tonkin) dont l'extrac-tion prend tout les jours de l'importance et qui est seule fournisseur de la Marine Française au Tonkin, dont le charbon est brûlé d'une façon régulière à bord des Steamers des Messageries MARITIMES, et en particulier à bord du "Hélophong", se propose d'ouvrir au public des places de Hongkong confiées le soin de son Agent à la maison.

SHEWAN & Co., Agents, à partir du 1er Novembre, 1892.

Le Directeur Général de Kébaô, HENRY PORTAL, Kébaô le 10 Décembre, 1892. 2234

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Business Notices.

Christmas 1892!!

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE NOW RECEIVED THEIR

NEW CHRISTMAS STOCK and are now showing a splendid

COLLECTION of ARTICLES suitable for

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

LEATHER GOODS, ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, TABLE

FLOWER SETS, BOOKS, LAMPS and LAMP SHADES,

Fitted DRESSING BAGS, JEWEL CASES, Decorative

CHINA and GLASSWARE, and a Good Assortment of

NOVELTIES—all at Moderate Prices.

CHILDREN'S TOYS.

TOY BOOKS, FRENCH DOLLS, RUBBER and WOOL TOYS,

MAGIC LANTERNS, American TOYS, German

TOYS, English TOYS, French TOYS.

THE LATEST

COSAQUES.

CHRISTMAS TREE DECORATIONS, FLAGS & BANNERS.

CONFECTIONERY.

NEW SEASON'S PUDDING and DESSERT FRUITS,

NUTS, FIGS, MUSCATELS, ELVAS PLUMS.

CHRISTMAS CAKES and BISCUITS.

CHRISTMAS DELICACIES.

An Assortment of PROVISIONS suitable for the Season.

SPECIAL YORK HAMS, STILTON and GORGONZOLA

CHEESE.

WINE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, December 3, 1892. 2121

W. POWELL & Co.

FOR

XMAS PRESENTS.

Toys!! Toys!! Toys!!

W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, December 17, 1892. 2220

HONGKONG HOTEL.

Telegraphic Address, "Kremlin" A.B.C. Code.

THE Most Convenient and Best-appointed HOTEL in the Far East situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, and adjacent to Pender's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony).

The Hotel Steam Launch conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers.

THE TABLE D'HÔTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy.

THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are light and well ventilated, open on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and Hotel throughout with electric communication.

THE READING, WRITING, and SMOKING ROOMS, LADIES' DRAWING ROOMS, the New BAR and PUBLIC BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience.

A GRILL ROOM, where chops, steaks, &c., are served at any hour, adjoins the Hotel.

WINE and SPIRITS of the BEST BRANDS only.

HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above.

NIGHT PORTERS and WAITERS are continually on duty.

R. TUCKER, Manager.

Hongkong, October 21, 1892. 1842

ROBERT LANG & Co.

NEW GOODS.

A LARGE SELECTION of WHITE and STRIPE FLANNELS and

SERGES.

TROPICAL TWEEDS, HOMESPUNS and COATINGS.

TERRA HATS (ALL COLOURS) and SUN HATS.

WATERPROOF COATS and UMBRELLAS.

&c., &c., &c.

THE MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.

1400 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL.

Telephone address, "Kremlin" A.B.C. Code.

TARIFF FROM DECEMBER 1st, 1892, UNTIL APRIL 30th, 1893, SINGLE ROOMS.

Board and Lodging by the Day, one person ... \$ 3.40

Board and Lodging by the Day, one person ... 4.00

Board and Lodging by the Day, one person ... 6.00

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Business Notices.

DAWSON'S BOOTS.

DAWSON'S BOOTS for Riding.

DAWSON'S BOOTS for Tanning.

DAWSON'S BOOTS for Walking.

DAWSON'S BOOTS for Orisk.

DAWSON'S BOOTS for Lacing.

DAWSON'S BOOTS for Ranning.

DAWSON'S BOOTS for Golf.

DAWSON'S SHOES for Dancing.

DAWSON'S BOOTS for Shooting.

DAWSON'S SHOES for Ease.

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DAWSON'S BOOTS for Elegance.

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JOSEPH DAWSON & SONS,

WHOLESALE AND EXPORT BOOT AND SHOE

MANUFACTURERS,

23, LONDON WALL, LONDON.—FACTORY, NORTHAMPTON.

Intimations.

HONGKONG & CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

F. W. CROSS, Manager.

Hongkong, December 16, 1892. 2209

MARIA CRISTINA CIGARS DEPOT.

No. 8, D'Agular Street.

HAVE Received from MANILA from their MANUFACTURER some specially made CIGARS for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. The CIGARS from this Manu-factory have obtained Prizes at all exhibitions for Excellence of leaf and Workmanship.

An inspection is respectfully solicited.

Hongkong, December 14, 1892. 2202

SINGING AND PIANO.

SIGNOR CATTANEO, having returned from Europe, has pleasure in informing the Community, that he will be in a position to RESUME TEACHING in a few days.

Apply to MESSRS. KELLY & WALSH.

Hongkong, December 6, 1892. 2138

Kelly & Walsh, Ltd.

IMPERIAL ENGLISH and CHINESE DIARY.

IMPERIAL ENGLISH and CHINESE DATE CLOCK.

LETTS' DIARIES.

T. J. & J. SMITH'S DIARIES.

SHAKESPEARE CALENDARS.

HUDSON & KEARN'S BLOTTING PAD DIARIES.

XMAS Nos. of ILLUSTRATED NEWS, Graphic, Black and White—Tule Tide—Ladies' Pictorial—Sporting and Dramatic—Pear's Annual—Tom Hood's Comic Annual.

JUST PUBLISHED—\$1.00.

CHINA & CHRISTIANITY.

BY The Author of MISSIONARIES IN CHINA.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HONG KONG. 2164

Notice of Firm.

NOTICE.

MR. JOHN HUGHES LEWIS is authorised to SIGN our Firm from this date.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, December 20, 1892. 2235

Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP MELBOURNE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex S.S. *Guadiana* and *Tigre*, and from Bordeaux ex S.S. *St. Louis*, will be subject to rent, and landing charges.

All Claims must be sent to me on or before FRIDAY, the 23rd Instant, or they will not be recognized.

All Damaged Packages will be examined on FRIDAY, the 23rd Instant, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, December 16, 1892. 2219

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him by simple gradations until he grasp the subtle intellectual side of the art as well as the physical. For men whose pursuits are essentially mental, who find difficulty

that is not physically too exhausting, fencing is an ideal pastime. For awkward and growing lads it is preferable to boxing, where certainly the traditions are not there.

little to learn in physical grace and sup-

ROWLANDS' MACASSAR OIL preserves and strengthens the hair, prevents it falling off or turning grey, and is the best brilliancio for everybody's use, being not too greasy or too drying; also sold in a golden colour for fair haired ladies and children; bottles 3s. 6d., 1s., 10s. 6d. **ROWLANDS' EUCALIA** is a pure and fragrant toilet powder, in three varieties—white, rose, and cream; 1s. and 2s. 6d. boxes. Ask any dealer in perfumery for Rowlands' articles, of 20, Hatton Gar-

179 pags. Merchandise; for San Francisco: 31,265 bags Rice, 05,5 bags Beans, 41 bags Sugar, 769 bags Coffee, 25 cases Silks, 136 rolls Mattings, 1,682 boxes Nut Oil, 394 Gansons, 250 bags Java tea, 500 bales Hemp, 152 bales Cacao Gambier, and 13,371 pags. Merchandise; for Honolulu, 20 bags Rice, and 90 pags. Merchandise; for La Libertad, 12 cases Silks, 11 pags. Merchandise, and 100 pags. Rice; for Champerico, 2 cases Silks; for Punta Arenas, 1 case Silks and 2 pags. Merchandise; for Panama, 3 cases Silks, 100 pags. 22 pags. Merchandise, and 91 bags Rice; for Guayaquil, 3 cases Merchandise and 4 cases Silks; for Calicut, 3 cases Silks and 2 cases Merchandise; for

Yock, 4 dozen Silks, 156 ykgs. Morehandies
and 268 pairs Raw Silk.

RESTAURANTS AT HOTELS.

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Mr and Mrs Caro Mr C. McKeen
- children M. et Mrs. Morel,
Capt. and Mrs Olt- child and maid
- turbeck Mr and Mrs Paul
Mr G. C. Cox Mr J. Quinn
Mr W. C. Duncan Capt. V. Purkes
- children Mrs. J. Ellis Capt. and Mrs Phil-
Miss E. Everest
Mr Geo. Fawcick Mr H. Rosenthal
Mr and Mrs Finley; Mr and Mrs Seymour
- maid and 2 children; Mr Fred. E. Shean
Mr H. Hancock Mr O. E. Taylor
Mr J. Hartmann Mr D. Thorne
Mr F. Hayes and Mr J. H. Tridley
- valet Mr J. H. Veitch
Mr F. Havas. Mr and Mrs Warren
Mr Kirbeck Mr G. M. Wynton

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Mr J. C. Dewley	Mr W. Jono Michaels
Mr Farmer	Mr J. C. Robertson
Miss and Mrs Feeoly	Mr and Mrs C. H. Reuve
Miss Feeoly	Mr C. A. Schmuck
Master Feeoly	Mr W. Schwalor
Mr F. Feeoly	Mr John Stewart
Mr W. Gardner	Mr George Stewart
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Mr & Mrs Harston	Mr Loon Vega
Mr & Mrs Harston	Mr N. V. V.
Mr Frank Harston	Mr Frank Walcot
Mr G. M. Harston	Mr E. J. Workman
Mr Chas. B. Hiels	

OPIUM—	New Patna, cash,....	577½
"	Old " cash,....	—
"	New Benares, cash,....	577½
"	Old " cash,....	—
"	New Malwa credit,....	520
"	Allowance, Cattles,....	13/34
"	Old Malwa, credit,....	530/40
"	Allowance, Cattles,....	1/4
"	Persian, Oily, cash,....	460/70
"	Allowance, Cattles,....	3/5
"	Persian, Paper tied,....	460/70
"	Allowance, Cattles,....	3/5

Mails.

U. S. MAIL LINE.
PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA
OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND THROUGH
AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN
FRANCISCO.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.
City of Peking.....SATURDAY, Dec. 31.
China.....TUESDAY, Jan. 10/93.
Peru.....SATURDAY, Jan. 25/93.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF
PEKING will be despatched for
SAN FRANCISCO, via YOKOHAMA, on
SATURDAY, 31st December, at 1 p.m.,
taking passengers and freight for Japan,
the United States, and Europe.

RATES OF PASSAGE.
From Hongkong, First Class.
To San Francisco, Vancouver,
Victoria, Esquimaux, New
Westminster, Port Town-
send, Seattle, Tacoma, Port-
land, O.\$225.00
To Liverpool and London.....\$325.00
To Paris and Bremen.....\$345.00
To Havre and Hamburg.....\$335.00
Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-
land, France, and Germany by all
trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

RATES OF PASSAGE TO OVERLAND
CITIES, FIRST CLASS.

DESTINATION.	30 day Ticket.	Contin- gents Ticket.
Kansas City, Mo., Omaha, Nebr.	285.00	291.50
St. Louis, Mo., Minneapolis, St. Paul, Minn., Minn- apolis, Minn.	292.00	299.00
Chicago, Ill.	297.50	305.00
Milwaukee, Wis.	302.50	310.00
Cincinnati, Ohio	304.25	310.00
Columbus, Ohio	304.95	310.00
Detroit, Mich.	306.55	310.00
Cleveland, Ohio	309.95	310.00
Toronto, Canada	310.25	310.00
Pittsburg, Penn.	310.25	310.00
Niagara Falls, N.Y., Balti- more, Md.	317.90	317.75
Washington, D.C., Balti- more, Md.	317.90	317.75
Montreal, Canada	319.75	319.50
Philadelphia, Penn.	319.75	319.50
New York	321.15	317.00
Boston, Mass.	321.15	317.00
Portland, Maine	327.25	317.00

All the above Rates are in Mexican
Dollars.
Special rates (first class only) are granted
to Missionaries, members of the Navy,
Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services,
to European officials in service of China
and Japan, and to Government officials and
their families.

Passengers by this line have the option
of proceeding Overland by the Southern
Pacific and connecting lines, Central Pacific,
Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific
Railways.
Return Tickets.—First Class.—Proposed
return tickets to San Francisco will be
issued at following rates:—
12 months.....\$337.50
6 months.....\$337.50
Time is reckoned from date of issue to
date of re-embarkation at San Francisco.
Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-
marking at San Francisco for China or
Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be
allowed a discount of 10% from Return
Fare. This discount does not apply to
through fares from China and Japan to
Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-
portation to Yokohama and other Japan
Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and
Inland Cities of the United States, and
Overland Railways to Havana, Trinidad,
Sancti Spiritus, and to ports in Mexico,
Central and South America, by the Com-
pany's and connecting Steamers.
Freight will be received on board until 4
p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel
Packages will be received at the office until
5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages
should be marked to address in full; value
of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo
destined to ports beyond San Francisco
in the United States, should be sent to the
Company's Office in Sealed Envelopes,
addressed to the Collector of Customs at San
Francisco.

For further information as to Passage
and Freight, apply to the Agency of the
Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Central.
J. S. VAN BUREN,
Agent.

Hongkong, December 10, 1892. 2168

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN,

SUEZ, PORT SAID,

BRINDISI, GENOA,

ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG,

PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK

SEA & BALTIC PORTS;

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON,

BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS,

GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN

PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL

AT SOUTHEASTON TO LAND PASSENGERS

AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills

of Lading for the principal places in

RUSSIA.

ON SUNDAY, the 31st day of January,

1893, at 10 a.m., the Company's

S.S. BAYERN, Captain H. ENGELHART,

with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIMENS,

and CARGO, will leave this port as above,

calling at Genoa.

Shipping Orders will be granted till

noon, Cargo will be received on board

until 4 p.m., parcels and parcels until 3

p.m. on the 10th January, 1893. (Parcels

are not to be sent on board; they must

be left at the AGENTS' Office). Contents

and Value of Packages are required.

The Steamers splendid Accommodation

and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

For further Particulars, apply to

MEYERSON & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, December 17, 1892. 2221

WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese.)

WASHBURN'S BOOKS, for the use

of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now

be had at this Office.—Price, \$1 each.

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